

REMARKS

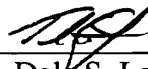
The specification is amended to change references of "Fig. 1" to -- Figs. 1A and 1B -- to properly reflect the changes made to the drawings in the formal drawings filed on July 27, 2001, and to delete reference to a non-existent "Fig. 4".

Applicants believe that the claims are in condition for allowance and request that the application be processed to issue. If any questions remain, the Examiner is respectfully invited to contact the undersigned.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification by the current amendment. The attached Appendix is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made."

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure: Appendix